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State Activities

- ▶ Coordinate compiling of perchlorate occurrence data.
- ▶ Map out all available statewide data on perchlorate to create a "Visual GIS Occurrence Map or Maps"

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State Activities

- ▶ Share Information compiled to any stakeholder or person who requests it.
- ▶ Wait for EPA Risk Studies to be completed before determining what additional activities may be required in Arizona.

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State Activities

- ▶ The idea of having ADEQ Drinking Water Section compiling other persons Arizona perchlorate occurrence data began in June of 1998 after the EPA Henderson, Nevada meeting of May 1998. Others were already proactive in their activities on perchlorate.

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State Agency Coordination

- ✓ Arizona Perchlorate Sampling Partnership.
- ✓ What is the “Arizona Perchlorate Sampling Partnership” ?

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State Agency Coordination

- ✓ AZ Perchlorate Partnership is an informal non-regulatory group of agencies, non-profits, universities, municipalities, and others that have or plan to collect samples for perchlorate and willing to share their information with others.

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State Agency Coordination

- ▶ ADEQ’s role in the Arizona Perchlorate Sampling Partnership is to help compile, map and share perchlorate occurrence data.

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State Agency Coordination

- ▶ Meetings are held as requested by participants. To date there are no fixed meeting schedules. Meetings in Arizona began in June 1998.
- ▶ Stakeholders are learning from each other as information is shared.

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Schedule of Arizona Activities

- ▶ ADEQ Drinking Water Section plans on conducting representative sampling for perchlorate beginning in September 1998.
- ▶ Others have already proactively collected samples. (EPA, CAP, Phoenix, ASU, others...)

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Schedule of Arizona Activities

- ▶ ADEQ Drinking Water Newsletter "SPLASH" will introduce Arizona Water Systems to the issues of perchlorate in Arizona. SPLASH will be published and mailed by September 1, 1998.

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Schedule of Arizona Activities

- ▶ Arizona will coordinate activities with **all** interested parties.
- ▶ All information will be shared.
ADEQ Website ?
EPA Website ?
Fact Sheets / Maps ?

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Schedule of Activities

- ▶ Arizona Perchlorate activity summaries will be created quarterly by the ADEQ Drinking Water Section and mailed, faxed or e-mailed to interested parties and posted on the ADEQ website.
- ▶ www.adeq.state.az.us

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Thank you,

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Any Questions ?

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